## American Red Oak – Quercus Rubra

## Wood Appearance

Colour - Heartwood is similar to other oaks and coloration runs from a light tan to pink with a reddish tinge

Grain - The wood is predominantly straight grained

## Wood Properties

Density – Not Available kg/m<sup>3</sup>

Durability - Not Available

Hardness - Not Available

**Identification Features** 

Sapwood - Not Available

Heartwood - Varies from a light tan to pink with a reddish tinge

Texture - Coarse

Wood Structure

Growth Rings - Not Available

Vessels – Not Available

Parenchyma – Not Available

Rays - Red Oak has a somewhat less attractive figure than White Oak due to smaller rays

**Other Features** 

Burning Splinter Test – Not Available

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